

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: A8625

Aarti GUPTA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/762,499

Group Art Unit: 2123

Confirmation No.: 5224

Examiner: Juan C. Ochoa

Filed: January 23, 2004

For: ITERATIVE ABSTRACTION USING SAT-BASED BMC WITH PROOF ANALYSIS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 15, 2008 to March 15, 2009.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$1110.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

/Chidambaram.S.Iyer/

SUGHRUE MION, PLLC
Telephone: (202) 293-7060
Facsimile: (202) 293-7860

Chid S. Iyer
Registration No. 43,355

WASHINGTON OFFICE

23373

CUSTOMER NUMBER

Date: March 16, 2009